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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
28th October 1870.*

Read the following letters :—

No. 419. From the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Chintapurty, Voilpaul Talook, Cuddapah, 5th September 1870, No. 1,268.

I HAVE the honour, with reference to G. O., No. 666, dated 1st March last, to forward the further report called for regarding Mr. John Elliot, at present a Local Fund Overseer, employed in the Hospett Range, Bellary District, under Mr. Porter, Executive Engineer.

From Lieutenant and Assistant Commissary W. PORTER, Executive Engineer, Hospett Range, No. 2, to the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, dated Camp at Hospett, 29th August 1870, No. 364.

As requested in your docket, No. 737, of 27th June last, and G. O., No. 666, of 1st March 1870, I beg to inform you that since the date of my last report, (No. 213 of 13th January 1870,) I have had the opportunity of employing Mr. J. Elliot, Local Fund Overseer, on work other than surveying, i. e., in marking out and making passable the road between Koodlighee and Somalappoor, a distance of 13 miles, a great portion of which is in very difficult ground. I am well satisfied with the way in which he performed the work, wherein he showed considerable intelligence; the work also was very cheaply done, and I have reason to believe that he did not spare any personal exertion in superintending the work.

2. Mr. Elliot has also since January last completed surveys, levels, and estimates for another road, that from Hospett to Hoosoor Ferry, in doing which he showed he had gained some experience from the preparation of the estimates, etc., alluded to in my former report. Mr. Elliot's conduct during the period under review has been very good.

3. In conclusion, I consider I may conscientiously recommend that Mr. Elliot be restored to the post of Talook Overseer, at least on probation, pending his passing the required examination, which it appears he has not yet done, having only attained a certificate agreeably to Bengal Test.

No. 420. From the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Guvalchervoo, Royachoty Talook, Cuddapah, 24th September 1870, No. 1,413.

In retransmitting my letter No. 1,268, dated 5th instant, with its enclosure, returned under wrapper, dated 12th idem, for my opinion, I have the honour to inform that as Lieutenant Porter's report is so decidedly favourable to Mr. Elliot, as yet I have not had an opportunity of seeing him, I beg to recommend his re-employment on probation, until he passes the full test, on the Imperial Establishment as a Talook Overseer.

No. 421. ORDER THEREON, 28th October 1870, No. 2,574.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 30.

UNDER the favourable report, submitted with the first of the foregoing papers, on the conduct and qualifications of the Local Fund Overseer Mr. Elliot, the Government will not object to

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28th October 1870.

his re-entertainment as a Talook Overseer on the Imperial Establishment conditionally on his passing the prescribed test within twelve months from date of appointment.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 364-1870-71.

Messpitt Range Office
Camp Messpitt 29th Aug 71.

From

The Executive Engineer

Messpitt Range

To

The Superintending Engineer

3rd Division

Sir,

Bellary.

As requested in your Letter No. 337 of
27th June last, and by O. No. 666 of 1st March
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very good.

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restored to the post of Acting Oversee, at
least on probation - pending his passing
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he has not yet done having only attained
a certificate agreeably to Bengal Act.

I beg to remain

Sir

Your most obedient Servant

A. Porter
Executive Comm.

John

From The Ex: Engineer
Husfelt Range

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3rd Division

Dated 29th August 1874
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No. 364
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Reporting on the Qualifi-
cation of Local Board
Members. Mr. Elliot and
recommending him for
the Post of Acting Overseer.

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W. T. Porter
Executive Engineer

Superintending Engineer's Office.
3rd Division.

Camp Chintapusty, Vaelpand Talook:
Chidlapali District.

The 5th September 1870..

From,

The Superintending Engineer

3rd Division.

To, 11

The Secretary to Government

Public Works Department

Fort Saint George.

Sir,

I have the honor to refer you
to G. O. No. 666 dated 1st March last, to forward
the further report called for regarding Mr.
John Elliot at present a local fund overseer
employed in the Kospitt Range, Bellary
District under Mr. Porter, Executive Engineer.

I have recd.
the Money of Mr. Walter
Superintendent

No. 1413

Superintending Engineer's Office.

3rd Division.

Camp Govulchava, Poyachy-Talook
Cuddalore District.

The 24 September 1870.

From,

The Superintending Engineer

3rd Division.

To,

The Secretary to Government

Public Works Department

Fort Saint George.

Sir,

I am transmitting my letter No 1268 dated 5: instant with its enclosure, returned under No 1000 dated 12: idem for my opinion. I have the honor to inform that as Lieut. Porters' report is so decidedly favorable to Mr. Elliot as yet I have not had an opportunity of seeing him. I beg to recommend his re-entertainment on probation until he passes the well test, on the Imperial Establishment as a British Officer.

I have, &c.

[Signature] Lt. Col. &c.
Supt. Engineer 3rd Div.

Enclosures. 2

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From, *[Handwritten: 1870. 24. 9. 11.]*
The Superintending Engineer

3rd Division.

To,

The Secretary to Government.

Public Works Department.

Fort Saint George.

No. 1268

Dated 5: *[Handwritten: 1870. 24. 9. 11.]*
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No. 1413

Fort Saint George.

The Secretary to Government.
Public Works Department.

To,

The Superintending Engineer
3rd Division.

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From the Supy Engineer of the 3rd Div (H.E. No. 1268 of 5th Sept 1870)
From — Do — Do (H.E. No 1413 of 24th — — —)

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Under the favorable
report submitted to
the first of the foregoing
papers, on the conduct
and qualifications of the
Local Fund Overseer —
Mr. Elliot, the Govt will
not object to his re-entr-
tainment as a Salook
Overseer on the Imperial
Establishment conditional
on his passing the pre-
scribed test within 12
months from date
of

of appointment.

Wb

To
The Supg Engr. 3^d Div
" Controller P. & A. Acct
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To The Superintending Engg.
3rd Division

Dated

Recd.

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G. 28 October 2574.

Nos. 419 @ 421

Mr Elliot - Intimating that Govt
will not object to the re-employment
of Mr Elliot as a
Valuing Officer on the Imperial
Roads. Conditionally on his
passing the prescribed test
within a year from date of
appointment.